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For: SOFT MAGNETIC MATERIAL AND DUST CORE AND METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING THE SAME

AMENDMENT TO ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the final Office Action dated April 14, 2008 with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) together filed concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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